

NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

Matters of General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen Told in Short Paragraphs So That "He Who Runs May Read" It in The Sun.

From Tuesday's Daily Sun:

A. J. Dyal and Thomas Ostrom of Graham were in the city yesterday.

J. S. Bailey of Newberry was transacting business in this city yesterday.

The Bishop-Harris Co. of Alachua have 500 bushels of seed peanuts for sale.

Mrs. Aggie Taylor of Rocky Point was visiting friends in this city yesterday.

W. E. Zetrouer of Rochelle was among those who spent yesterday trading in this city.

J. N. Cauthern, a well-known young farmer of LaCrosse, was in the city trading yesterday.

Arthur Downing of Donnie was among those who came to Gainesville trading yesterday.

C. C. Roundtree, a well-known citizen of Campville, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Walter Flewellen of McIntosh, who has been here on a visit to friends, returned to his home yesterday.

J. M. M. Robinson of Reddick is in the city on a visit to his sister, Mrs. A. S. Taylor, South Oak avenue.

J. M. Shaw of Bellamy, one of the most successful farmers of that section, was in the city yesterday.

W. A. McGriff, the druggist of Micanopy, was among those who spent Sunday with relatives in this city.

G. C. Crawford has returned from Evinston, where he has been to install a bath tub and other sanitary improvements for Dr. Evans.

Superintendent Armour of Arredondo, who has charge of the Colson farm, was among those who spent Sunday with friends in this city.

J. H. Blackwell, son, James, and daughter, Mrs. J. W. Butler, and Misses Lillie and Jessie Blackwell, were in the city from Fairbank yesterday.

W. G. Videon and L. L. Knight, two prominent citizens of Newberry, were in the city yesterday transacting business. They were both pleasant visitors at this office.

The many friends of Miss Cora Lynn will regret to know that this popular young lady is ill with pneumonia at the residence of her cousin, Mrs. W. E. Baker, in East Gainesville.

A. E. Wittstock has returned from Jacksonville, where he has been for the past few days. Mr. Wittstock, who is a contractor, has been figuring on several big "jobs." Mr. Wittstock recently finished a fine building for T. V. Porter in that city.

Contractor McMahan has completed the brick-work on the compressor-room at the waterworks plant, and the same has been turned over to the carpenters, and will be completed within the next two weeks. The building will be 21x30 feet.

Chas. Holstein, the clever young son of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Holstein, who had the misfortune a few days ago to have his foot severely cut on a piece of glass, and who has suffered considerably from the effects of this wound, is out again, and will soon be enabled to resume his studies at school.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Taylor have moved into their new home on West Liberty street, where the Taylor family are now pleasantly located. This is one of the most modern homes in this section of the State, possessing all conveniences, and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor congratulate them upon their new possession.

J. W. Patton has returned from Trenton, where he has been for the past few days on business. Mr. Patton states that real estate is on a boom in that section now, many transfers being made recently. Mrs. James Love has sold her plantation near Trenton to Mrs. Jones, and has taken up her home in Trenton.

Prof. E. L. Price, principal of the Hague school, was in the city yesterday. Prof. Price states that the school is progressing nicely, and that the attendance is very good on an average. The students are manifesting a great

deal of interest in their work, and the close of the term will be one of which the principal and patrons will be proud.

F. J. Hammond, the merchant of Hawthorn, was a business visitor to this city yesterday. Mr. Hammond recently had the misfortune to lose his store and stock by fire, but with commendable energy he at once secured another place and re-established his business, which has grown to be one of the largest and most profitable in the East End.

Mrs. John Millican of Parrish, who has been here on a visit to Mrs. H. P. Holstein for the past few days, has gone to Graham, where she will spend a short time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. McKinney, before returning to her home. As Miss McKinney Mrs. Millican was quite popular in this section, where she has resided for many years.

The Sun is just in receipt of a letter from B. H. Powell, an old Alachua county boy who is now located in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, in which he says, "I am getting mighty anxious to see some news from dear old Florida, and I know of no better way than to subscribe to The Gainesville Sun. Enclosed find one dollar for which send The Sun to my address."

Miss Rosabel Pedrick left yesterday for Spartanburg, S. C., where she will attend Converse College, one of the most widely known educational institutions in the South. She was accompanied as far as Jacksonville by her father, C. C. Pedrick. Miss Pedrick's young friends here will miss her very much, but wish her much success in her studies.

Miss Lila Frasier, the efficient and popular teacher of the Arredondo school, after spending Sunday pleasantly with her parents at Alachua, passed through the city yesterday en route to her duties. Friends of Miss Frasier will be glad to learn that her condition is greatly improved. She was quite ill for several weeks, having been confined at the hospital in this city.

J. B. Keith of Wilcox was among those who spent yesterday in this city. Mr. Keith was for several years engaged in the phosphate business at Dutton, later moving to Wilcox. He has decided to leave this section, however, and will leave in a short time for Southwest Texas, where he has a brother, T. F. Keith, in the prospecting business. Mr. Keith's postoffice will be Llano, Texas.

W. B. Higdon has returned from Jacksonville, where he has been for the past few days on a visit to relatives and attending the Masonic Grand Lodge functions, including the laying of the cornerstone of the new temple. During his absence Mr. Higdon also "submitted" to taking the degree of the Shriners in Masonry, and declares, while he feels a little sore, he has no regrets to make. He says the Shriners are "the finest yet."

County Tax Collector W. D. Dickinson and Assessor W. W. Colson, after spending a day or two at home, left yesterday for the East End on their last round of the county an official work. They have enjoyed a most remarkable success. In every section of the county they have found the people in good condition, and are highest in praise of the farmers, who have made fine crops and killed lots of hogs. The smoke-houses and cribs are full, and the people are happy.

T. F. Davis, a well-known and successful trucker of Rocky Point, was trading in the city yesterday. Mr. Davis states that the crops at Rocky Point worth saving were protected from the recent cold. The only damage was to lettuce, and the market price on that product has been so low recently that it may really be construed as a blessing that the same was destroyed. The lettuce shipments have not only proved a loss to the grower as a production, but in many instances they have been compelled to send a check to pay the freight.

From Wednesday's Daily Sun:

Dr. L. Montgomery of Micanopy was in the city yesterday.

W. A. Strickland of Paradise was a business visitor to this city yesterday.

Miss Dorlan Ellis is in Waldo on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Chas. A. Marks.

Chas. Coleman of Micanopy was

among those who spent yesterday in this city.

Old newspapers for sale at The Sun office.

For the best printed stationery call at The Sun office.

Mrs. Hill and Miss Alice Cato of Alachua are in the city on a visit to Mrs. O. B. Bailey.

F. D. Irwin, the merchant of Fairbanks, was transacting business in the county capital yesterday.

Prof. J. C. Witherspoon, who has a music class at Citra, was visiting his family in this city yesterday.

Judge T. B. Tillis of Waldo was among those who favored the county capital with a visit yesterday.

County Surveyor James Croxton of Micanopy was among those who visited the county metropolis yesterday.

N. C. Pettit, mayor of Waldo and an all-round enterprising citizen, was transacting business in this city Monday.

John F. Hodge of Newberry was in the city yesterday on business connected with the United States land office.

Ivin Holder, an old and highly esteemed citizen of Santa Fe, spent Monday with relatives and friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Beck are rejoicing over the arrival at their home of a fine boy, and friends extend congratulations.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Long, Rocky Point, will sympathize with them in the serious illness of their infant daughter.

Mrs. Rosa Lave of Denver, Col., is in the city, and will remain here for some time as a guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Cardy.

James Parker of LaCrosse, one of the leading young men of that progressive village, was a business visitor to Gainesville yesterday.

W. F. Love, a well-known and prominent citizen of the West End, has returned to his home at Trenton, after a visit to relatives here.

Friends of Mrs. Alex Avera, South Pearl street, who has been ill for the past three months, will be gratified to learn that she is out again.

Mrs. L. M. Bell of Tennessee is visiting her sister, Mrs. Moore, at Hawthorn. Mrs. Bell's many Gainesville friends hope to see her here soon.

Subscribers on rural free delivery routes can send in their subscriptions by the mail carriers. Persons who desire The Sun on such routes can also send money by the carriers.

The home of Mrs. Haines Richardson, South Gainesville, is being remodelled and otherwise improved, and when completed this will be one of the prettiest and cosiest homes in that section.

J. E. Fugate of Alachua, one of the leading and successful farmers of that section, was in the city Monday and made The Sun an agreeable call. He has just been honored by being elected president of the Alachua County Farmers' Union.

N. E. Brown of Michigan, who is spending the winter here with his wife, left yesterday for points on the East Coast on a business trip. He will be absent several days. Mr. and Mrs. Brown are well pleased with Gainesville and those they have met here.

W. D. Wood of Evinston, senior member of the firm of Wood & Evans, merchants, was transacting business in this city yesterday. Mr. Wood states that trade has been very good in his section during the past season, and is holding up remarkably well.

Among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday was Captain W. G. Shehee, a merchant of High Springs, and one of The Sun's most ardent friends. Captain Shehee's friends here are always glad to see him. They will be glad, also, to learn that his health is very much improved.

Elmer McCreary, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McCreary, is still confined to his bed with typhoid fever, this being the thirty-first day he has been in bed. The fever has not yet entirely left him and he is unable to sit up. Dr. McKinstry says he is doing as well as could be expected, however.

The Jacksonville Metropolis of Tuesday says Mrs. M. Yain Read of Gainesville was relieved of her handbag Monday night as she was boarding a northbound Seaboard train. The crook snatched the bag from her hand and escaped. The bag contained a check on the Gainesville National Bank, \$5 in cash and a number of small articles.

From Thursday's Daily Sun:

J. A. J. Strickland of Hague was trading in the city yesterday.

J. B. Conley of Hague was a business visitor to this city yesterday.

W. T. Jackson of Waburg was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Chas. M. McKinney, a progressive farmer of Graham, was trading in the city yesterday.

Mrs. M. R. Colson has gone to Micanopy, where she will visit relatives for a few days.

George Zetrouer, a prominent young man of Rochelle, was a business visitor to this city yesterday.

Rance Sheppard and two sons of Otter Creek are in the city for a few days on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. Arch Jackson left yesterday for Jacksonville, where she will visit relatives and friends for a few days.

Elias Roberts and son of Bell have returned to their home, after a brief visit to Capt. S. H. Wienges in this city.

A clever trio from Waldo who visited Gainesville yesterday were Alfred L. King, Wm. Finlayson and J. L. Neel.

Miss Effie Rogers of Dublin, Ga., is visiting the family of her uncle, Rev. S. B. Rogers, pastor of the First Baptist church.

John Winter, master carpenter of the Seaboard Air-Line, who makes his headquarters at Waldo, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. John Dyal of Hampton has returned to her home, after a pleasant visit to her daughter, Mrs. H. P. Holstein, in this city.

W. C. Matheson is out again, after an illness of several days at his home. His friends are glad to greet him once more upon the streets.

Mrs. H. R. Fewell has returned from Jacksonville, where she has been visiting her parents. Her mother, who has been quite sick, is much better.

Friends of J. H. Morton, who has been quite ill at his home on West McCormick street for the past month, will be pleased to learn that he is out again.

Mrs. J. A. Williams of Alachua is in the city, a guest of her brother, Captain J. Maxey Dell. Mrs. Williams has many friends here who are always delighted to greet her.

Constable Lem Curry of Trenton was in the city yesterday. He brought a negro prisoner, convicted in Justice Drummond's court upon a charge of larceny, and sentenced to three months in the "gang."

The "masquerade" which was to have been given tomorrow night for the benefit of the Hospital Aid Association has been postponed until Friday, February 7th. Further information will be given later.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gerrish of Jacksonville were in the city for a short time yesterday. Mr. Gerrish is general superintendent for the Cummer Lumber Company, and the couple were en route to the camp at Tioga.

Deputy Sheriff I. C. Walker has returned from Dunnellon, where he went to convey two prisoners to the convict camps. These prisoners were negroes, and were convicted and sentenced from some of the country districts.

Mrs. Frank LaFontaine and children of Miami are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Cheves. Mr. LaFontaine contemplates removing to Texas, and his family will remain here until he decides upon a location.

J. C. Halle of Alachua was in the city yesterday, having come on account of the illness of his brother, J. M. Halle, who is suffering from pneumonia. Friends of the patient will regret to learn that his condition seems little improved.

John Sauls, one of the clever employees of the mechanical department of the Atlantic Coast Line at High Springs, was in the city for a short time yesterday. Mr. Sauls had been south with the wrecking crew, and was en route home.

Attention is called to the change of advertisement of the Baird Hardware Company, which appears elsewhere in this issue. This firm is advertising an up-to-date line of cutlery, which it will pay prospective purchasers who want good cutlery to investigate.

Shade Adkinson of Martel, Marion county, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Adkinson is in the employ of a large sawmill at Martel, and came to Gainesville to meet a shipment of fourteen head of mules and several cars of log cuts, which were being shipped from some point in Georgia.

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WANTED—Good milker. A. L. Vidal.

WANTED—Good mare, fresh Jersey cow, good hogs and Leghorn chickens, all for breeding purposes. C. W. Agin, Hawthorn, Fla., R. F. D. No. 2.

FOR SALE.

EGGS—Pure S. C. Rhode Island Reds; \$1.00 for 15, \$5.50 for 100. Mrs. J. A. Barron, Evinston, Fla.

FOR SALE—Sixty Barred Plymouth Rocks. Write W. T. Jones, Ft. White, Fla., R. F. D. No. 2.

Attention, Stonewall Camp.

All members of the camp are requested to call on Comrade T. B. Ellis, treasurer, and pay their camp dues. All delinquents will be reported in the annual return to headquarters, as per orders from general headquarters.

JNO. C. M'GREW,
Adj. Camp.

Two wrecking trains passed through the city yesterday from Prairie Creek, where they have been engaged in picking up "the leavings" from the wreck which occurred at that point on Saturday. Both trains were well loaded with trucks, rods, bolts, pieces of various parts, etc., which will be taken to the High Springs shops to be placed together again.

M. M. Clyatt of Otter Creek, one of the successful merchants of that progressive Levy county town, was among those who spent yesterday in this city on business. Mr. Clyatt states that trade and business generally has held up remarkably well in his town, notwithstanding that many have been thrown out of employment in that section for the past few weeks. The laborers, who seemed to be of an industrious class, have saved their earnings, with the result that the majority of them have sufficient funds to tide them over the dull times.

PHOTOGRAPHY.

Photography today is an economic and social necessity in every community. It maintains the memory and affections of family life through the picture it makes, and which we could not now do without. How often is regret expressed that no picture exists of some friend or relative who is no longer with us! Sometimes, indeed, the camera has to intrude upon the sacredness of the death chamber itself when relatives feel that a photograph in such circumstances is better than none at all. Do not procrastinate. Be wise and "secure the shadow ere the substance fades."

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